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## English Crisis At An End

Acute stage in negotiations growing out of Red sea difficulties has passed. Russians have withdrawn fleet.

[Special Dispatches to the Daily Alaskan.]

London, August 1.—The crisis in the negotiations between England and Russia has passed and public sentiment has resumed the normal. In the house of commons today, Premier Balfour announced that the acute stage of the Red sea incident has passed. He said the Russian fleet had been withdrawn.

## MANY ARRIVE

Selkirk and Case, Bring Passengers

Whitehorse, Aug. 1.—The Selkirk arrived Saturday afternoon with 17 passengers. She sailed at 3:30 p. m. yesterday for Stewart river. She was at Hootalinqua, going down stream, at 11 p. m. yesterday. The Asca arrived at 8:30 a. m. today with 30 passengers. She will sail out tonight.

The Whitehorse was at Yukon crossing at 5:30 p. m. yesterday and will arrive early tomorrow morning. She will sail tomorrow night.

The Victorian was at Hootalinqua at 4 a. m. today and will arrive this evening. The Bonanza King was at Yukon crossing at 9 a. m. today.

The river is 45 inches above low water.

Oyster, scallops, Olympia Eastern at the Park Train restaurant.

## STOP IT

Canadians Will Prevent Misrepresentation

[Special Dispatch to the Daily Alaskan.] Ottawa, Aug. 1.—Postmaster General Mulock introduced a bill Saturday to change the alien labor act. He proposes to make it a criminal offense to import aliens by fraudulent representations.

## Pleasant Show

The Misses Daisy and Violet Nesbitt, of San Francisco, gave a pleasing show of songs, dances and comic specialties at the opera house last evening.—Juneau Dispatch.

Baths 25 cents. Fine porcelain tubs at the Portland Lumber House. Rooms 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1. Fifth avenue, opposite Canadian Bank of Commerce.

## FOR TONIGHT

There Will Be Entertainment at Elks' Hall

There will be genuine entertainment for those who attend the performance of the Nesserda sisters tonight at the Elks' hall. The Misses Nesserda are artists of rare ability, and their repertoire covers a wide range, including popular songs and recitations. Their dancing is artistic and clever.

Among the leading features of the program will be the following: "Molly Shannon," "Kid From the Bower," "Queen of Bohemia," "Maiden With the Dreamy Eyes," "King of the Coconut Grove," and a score of other songs and dances.

One of the most artistic of the performances will be the famous "Parasol Dance," which has charmed theater goers on two continents.

The doors will open at 8 o'clock, and the curtain will go up at 9.

## AT OUTS

French Government and Pope Seyer Relations

[Special Dispatches to the Daily Alaskan.] Paris, Aug. 1.—It is positively announced that the breach between the French government and the Vatican is complete as a result of the refusal of the pope to withdraw orders heretofore issued to Catholic bishops in France.

## Plus X Was Firm

Rome, Aug. 1.—The Vatican today replied to the demands from the French government that he cancel certain orders that were issued some time ago to the French bishops. The reply was couched in pleasant language, but the refusal to comply with the demands was firm and final.

## Top-ks Not Reported

The City of Topeka which is making the northern trip in the place of the Humboldt had not been heard from at 3:30 o'clock. She will probably arrive tonight or tomorrow.

## Gen. Funston Arrives

Gen. Frederick Funston, commander of the department of the Columbia, with Major R. K. Evans, his adjutant general, and Lieut. Burton J. Mitchell, his aid de camp, arrived on the Jefferson at noon today, and was greeted with a salute of 11 guns. Gen. Funston is at the Fifth Avenue hotel, and will leave Skagway this week for the interior.

## May Sink Sea's Ship

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 1.—The British rear admiral in command of the squadron here, says very likely Russia will take or sink the steamer "Havemut" from Seattle with food stuffs for Japan; also the Korea of the Pacific Mail lines.

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## Russian Rout Complete

Japanese defeat Gen. Kuropatkin with great loss and capture all the strategic points. Russians may lose army.

[Special Dispatches to the Daily Alaskan.]

Tientsin, August 1.—The advices from Tatchekiao are to the effect that the Russians have met with a disastrous defeat in the fighting of the last few days. They have retreated in disorder. Kuropatkin was severely wounded and another general officer was killed. The safety of the Russian army depends upon its ability to make a successful retreat. The Russian loss was 3000 and that of the Japanese 800. The Japanese have captured all the topographical keys.

## PANIC NOT SO BAD AT ST. PETERSBURG

St. Petersburg August 1.—The feeling of despair is not so great today as it was Saturday when it was reported, apparently upon good authority, that Great Britain had intervened in the Russo-Japanese war in the interest of the Japanese. The disastrous defeat of the Russian arms near Liaoyang, the assassination of Vonplehve and the reported capture of Port Arthur had caused the blackest gloom, and the people were prepared to accept as true the wildest rumors that were started in circulation.

While the despondency is not so great today the prevailing sentiment is that of extreme pessimism. It is felt that the danger which confronts the army of Gen. Kuropatkin has been under stated rather than exaggerated.

## JAPANESE LOSE SHIPS

Chefoo, August 1.—It is reported here that the Japanese lost a cruiser and a gunboat Thursday night as a result of striking mines outside of Port Arthur.

## DANGER IS VERY GREAT

St. Petersburg, August 1.—With the Japanese able to get around Gen. Kuropatkin's right from Newchwang, with the enemy's forces pressing upon Haicheng from the east and the Japanese column threatening the Russian communications above Liaoyang, the withdrawal of the entire Russian army northward may be absolutely necessary, if, indeed, this is not too late.

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